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Utility Patent Application Transmittal

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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Title: Method and System Providing Improved Security for the Transfer of Root Keys

1. Fee Calculation (see Box 14)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
3. Specification Total Pages - 23
 - Description
 - Claims
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawings - (6 Figures) Total Sheets - 3
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 - b. Unexecuted
 - c. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 12 completed)
 - i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in
the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
7. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
8. Preliminary Amendment
9. Return Receipt Postcard *(Should be specifically itemized)*
10. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) *(if foreign priority is claimed)*
11. Other:

12. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

- Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP)
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14. FEE CALCULATION:

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1.	BASIC FILING FEE	\$710.00
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	Total Claims 27 - 20 = 7 x \$18 =	\$126.00
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	Multiple Dependent	\$270 -
3.	Other:	\$ -
	Subtotal	\$996.00
4.	Fees Reduced by 1/2 for Small Entity Status	- 50% \$498.00
5.	Recording Patent Assignment	-
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